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Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC). The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC) registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" - District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900. Please click here to schedule an appointment.



**Funding Alert:** If you would like to post a **free event/resource announcement** in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at <a href="mailto:pat.henry@dc.gov">pat.henry@dc.gov</a>. All back issues of the funding alert can be found at <a href="mailto:www.opgs.dc.gov">www.opgs.dc.gov</a>.

**District Grants Clearinghouse:** District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at <a href="www.opgs.dc.gov">www.opgs.dc.gov</a>. All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to <a href="decgrants@dc.gov">dc.gov</a>.

**State Single Point of Contact (SPOC):** The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at <a href="www.opgs.dc.gov">www.opgs.dc.gov</a> select State Single Point of Contact. If you need additional information call Pat Henry at (202) 727-0946.

Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government: If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at <a href="www.ocp.dc.gov">www.ocp.dc.gov</a> and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact <a href="mailto:Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov">Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov</a>

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## **Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities**

#### **Electronic Grants Clearinghouse**

**The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services** is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: <a href="http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse">http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse</a>.

District Agency	<b>Funding Opportunity</b>	Deadline
District Department of the Environment	2015 Green Resident Engagement for Housing Sector	June 29, 2015
Justice Grants Administration	FY 2016 Justice Grants Administration Consolidated Solicitation	May 29, 2015
Department of Human Services	Refugee Resettlement Program	June 5, 2015

#### **Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities**

**Dual Enrollment Partnership Grants (OSSE).** Office of the State Superintendent of Education announces funds for partnering Local Education Agencies (LEAs) and Institutions of Higher Education (IHEs) to provide dual enrollment programming to eligible students in the District during the 2015-2016 academic year.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, private institutions of higher education

and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 7/15/2015

Contact: Mike Andrews at (202) 481-3485 or <a href="mike.andrews@dc.gov">mike.andrews@dc.gov</a>
Website: <a href="mike.andrews@dc.gov">http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse</a>

Grant ID: GD5988

#### **Federal Opportunities**

**Healthy Marriage and Relationship Education Grants (HHS)**. Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to support programs that have the capacity and proven record of accomplishment in providing a broad range of marriage and relationship skills training.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district

governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 7/7/2015



Funds: \$53,846,875 is available for 53 awards up to \$2,000,000

Contact: ACF Applications Help Desk at <a href="mailto:app\_support@acf.hhs.gov">app\_support@acf.hhs.gov</a>

Website: <u>www.grants.gov</u>

Grant ID: GD5983

**Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration (LHRD) Grant Program (HUD).** Department of Housing and Urban Development announces funds to support programs that will develop comprehensive programs to identify and control lead-based paint hazards in eligible privately owned rental or owner-occupied housing.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, state governments and DC government

agencies

Deadline: 6/23/2015

Funds: \$45,000,000 is available for 12 awards up to \$3,500,000 and a match is required.

Contact: Eric Hornbuckle at (202) 402-7599 or <a href="mailto:Eric.W.Hornbuckle@hud.gov">Eric.W.Hornbuckle@hud.gov</a>

Website: <u>www.grants.gov</u>

Grant ID: GD5989

National Center for Healthy Marriage and Relationship Education (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to support the development, implementation, and management of a national resource center for Healthy Marriage and Relationship Education (Resource Center). The Resource Center will gather, develop and disseminate information and research related to promoting healthy marriage through a range of activities.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, public and state

controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based

organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 7/7/2015

Funds: \$1,500,000 is available for awards

Contact: ACF Applications Help Desk at app\_support@acf.hhs.gov

Website: <u>www.grants.gov</u>

Grant ID: GD5984

**New Pathways for Fathers and Families (HHS)**. Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to support programs to help fathers establish or strengthen positive parental interaction by providing activities that develop and improve relationship, communication and parenting skills, and contribute to the financial well-being of their children by providing job training and other employment services.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, public and state

controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing

authorities, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 7/7/2015

Funds: \$47,846,875 is available for 49 awards up to \$2,000,000

Contact: ACF Applications Help Desk at app\_support@acf.hhs.gov



Website: <u>www.grants.gov</u>

Grant ID: GD5982

Responsible Fatherhood Opportunities for Reentry and Mobility (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to support prisoner reentry programs that provide innovative community-centered, skill-based pre- and post-release and supportive services to formerly incarcerated fathers.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, public and state

controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing

authorities, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 7/7/2015

Funds: \$7,500,000 is available for five awards up to \$1,500,000

Contact: ACF Applications Help Desk at <a href="mailto:app\_support@acf.hhs.gov">app\_support@acf.hhs.gov</a>

Website: <u>www.grants.gov</u>

Grant ID: GD5981

### **Foundation Opportunities**

**Reproductive Health Programs.** The Lalor Foundation announces funds to support programs that will empower young women through education about healthy reproduction in order to broaden and enhance their options in life. A concept paper is required by November 1.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 11/1/2015

Funds: Awards are available up to \$25,000

Contact: The Lalor Foundation, Inc at (617) 391-3088 or <a href="mailto:hblaisdell@gmafoundations.com">hblaisdell@gmafoundations.com</a>

Website: http://lalorfound.org/?page\_id=221

Grant ID: GD5985

**Grants Promote Youth Baseball and Softball.** *Baseball Tomorrow Fund* announces funds to support a new program, expand or improve an existing program, undertake a new collaborative effort, and obtain facilities or equipment necessary for youth baseball or softball programs.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 7/1/2015

Funds: Awards are available up to \$40,000 and a match is required

Contact: Baseball Tomorrow Fund at <a href="btto:btf@mlb.com">btf@mlb.com</a>

Website: <a href="http://web.mlbcommunity.org/programs/baseball-tomorrow-fund.jsp?content=overview">http://web.mlbcommunity.org/programs/baseball-tomorrow-fund.jsp?content=overview</a>

Grant ID: GD5986



**Programs for People Affected by HIV.** *Elton John AIDS Foundation* announces funds to support programs that provide: services and advocacy to improve the health of people living with HIV or at risk or otherwise affected by HIV; education and advocacy to uphold the rights of people living with and affected by HIV; support services, community organizing, and advocacy to address the social and economic needs of people living with and affected by HIV; and capacity-building to strengthen the skills and strategies of organizations and activists addressing HIV. First-time applicants must complete an online letter of inquiry (LOI).

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: None

Contact: Elton John AIDS Foundation

Website: <a href="http://newyork.ejaf.org/2015-open-call-for-proposals/">http://newyork.ejaf.org/2015-open-call-for-proposals/</a>

Grant ID: GD5987

#### **Additional Funding Resources and Announcements**

What Your Organization Needs to Know About the Wage Theft Prevention Amendment Act of 2014. The Wage Theft Prevention Amendment Act of 2014 that became effective on February 26, 2015, introduces a range of important new provisions that affect all employers in the District of Columbia. These include new compliance requirements and enforcement schemes, an anti-retaliation provision, and enhanced penalties for violations. To help nonprofits understand their obligations under the Act, the D.C. Bar Pro Bono Program's Community Economic Development Project will host a seminar for nonprofits on Wednesday, June 3, from 9:00 am to 11:00 am at the D.C. Bar Conference Center, 1101 K Street, NW, First Floor. For more information contact Lauren Paley at lpaley@dcbar.org or (202) 737-4700 x3357.

**Federal Grants Management Conference.** The Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE), Office of Grants Management and Compliance (OGMC), will host its annual Federal Grants Management Conference, June 4, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. at the Kellogg Hotel and Conference Center on the Campus of Gallaudet University 800 Florida Avenue, NE. The conference offers Local Education Agencies (LEAs) the opportunity to learn about the Federal Grants Management process and resources. Participants will also gain insight on how to strategize funding resources to ensure students' needs are met, as well as their communities. For information contact angela.clemons@dc.gov. Visit Federal Grants Management Conference to register.

Community-Based Organizations Grants Management Conference. The Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE), Office of Grants Management and Compliance (OGMC), will host its annual CBO Grants Management Conference that offers Community-Based Organizations (CBOs) the opportunity for continuous learning about local grant funding availabilities while assisting families and communities with practical resources. Most importantly, the conference will provide CBOs with information on how to best meet the needs of District of Columbia students while improving their educational outcomes. The conference is being held on June 16, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Kellogg Hotel and Conference Center on the Campus of Gallaudet University, 800 Florida Avenue, NE. For additional information contact Angela Clemons, <a href="mailto:angela.clemons@dc.gov">angela.clemons@dc.gov</a>. To register visit <a href="mailto:CBO Grants Management Conference">CEBO Grants Management Conference</a>.

Call for Advisory Review Panelists for the FY16 Grant Season. DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities (DCCAH) is seeking advisory review panelists for their FY16 grant season. Panelists will review applications, provide comments, and score applications in order to recommend recipients of DCCAH grant awards. Residents of the District of Columbia metropolitan area are encouraged to nominate themselves or their peers to serve as a panelist. Selected panelists will demonstrate expertise through involvement in one or more sectors of the creative economy in the District for a minimum of two years. Individuals with arts and humanities backgrounds make the strongest candidates (i.e. artists, arts administrators, arts educators, gallery professionals, curators, art critics, etc.)



The DCCAH supports panel diversity in all forms: age, race, gender, disabilities, sexual orientation, artistic discipline, location, etc. To submit your letter of interest and resume, email Steven Mazzola at steven.mazzola@dc.gov or call 202-724-5613.

#### **Previous Funding Resources and Announcements**

Nonprofit Legal Clinic: Understanding the Building Blocks of Good Governance. The D.C. Bar Pro Bono Program is hosting a Nonprofit Legal Clinic: Understanding the Building Blocks of Good Governance on May 29 from 11 am to 12:30. Good governance policies are a critical part of every organization's foundation, which is why the IRS Form 990 asks nonprofits to indicate whether they have conflict-of-interest, whistleblower and record retention policies. The IRS also has requirements regarding conflicts of interest and public disclosure of your tax filings, while the D.C. Nonprofit Code requires a nonprofit to maintain certain corporate records. At this clinic, you will meet one-on-one with an attorney who will help review and update your nonprofit's whistleblower and record retention policies and your conflict of interest policy and disclosure form. The attorney will also discuss with you the reasons the policies say what they do, and how best to implement them. Finally, the attorney will discuss with you some actions you can take now, so you know how to handle issues when they come up. To register contact Lauren Paley at <a href="mailto:lpaley@dcbar.org">lpaley@dcbar.org</a> or 202-737-4700, ex. 3357.

**Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) Ward-by-Ward Check-In Community Meeting Series.** The D.C. Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) is conducting a three month community meeting series in all eight wards. These meetings are designed to seek feedback and suggestions from community members to help shape the future of affordable housing throughout the District. Additionally, the agency seeks to inform residents, business owners, and other community members of the agency's programs and services, current and future projects, and the Fiscal year (FY) 2016 affordable housing budget. To register and for more information visit <a href="https://dhcd.dc.gov/node/1044362">https://dhcd.dc.gov/node/1044362</a>

The Home Depot Foundation: Community Impact Grants Program. The Home Depot Foundation Community Impact Grants Program provides support to nonprofit organizations and public service agencies that are using the power of volunteers to improve the physical health of their communities. Proposals for the following community improvement activities will be considered: repairs, refurbishments, and modifications to low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities (schools, community centers, senior centers, etc.); weatherizing or increasing energy efficiency of low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities; engaging veterans as volunteers to help other veterans in their community through service projects focusing on the renovation, repair, and improvement of homes and other properties serving veterans; and planting trees or community gardens and/or landscaping community facilities that serve veterans. Priority will be given to projects for veterans that include housing repairs, modifications, and weatherization work. Grants of up to \$5,000 are made in the form of The Home Depot gift cards for the purchase of tools, materials, or services. Deadline for applications is September 1, 2015. For more information visit <a href="http://homedepotfoundation.org/page/applying-for-agrant">http://homedepotfoundation.org/page/applying-for-agrant</a>.

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